

MINUTES Board of Directors Meeting Durham Convention & Visitors Bureau A Tourism Development Authority

Tuesday, March 26, 2002

Present

Rod Abraham Jason Lazich
Don Ball John Mallard
Paul Broughton Tom Niemann
Joe Bowser Barbara Smith
E'Vonne Coleman Reyn Bowman
James Heyward Shelly Green
Ron Hunter Thomas Devine
Tom Krakauer

Absent
Bill Kalkhof
Deborah Vickery

At 3:15 p.m. Chair Barbara Smith called the meeting to order and seated the new combined Board of the Durham Convention & Visitors Bureau reconstituted as a tourism development authority by the General Assembly of North Carolina. After introductions, the following actions were taken:

- Received an updated from County manager Mike Ruffin on the status of the Cultural Master Plan.
- Voted to approve the Minutes of February 26, 2002.
- Reviewed a draft of a document outlining an action agenda and responsibilities specific to the Board.
- Voted to accept the Financial Status Report as of February 28, 2002.
- Voted to renew existing bank signature resolutions in the name of both Durham Convention & Visitors Bureau and Durham Tourism Development Authority.

- Voted to adopt and forward to the City and County a draft of a new Interlocal Agreement to provide a smooth, seamless transition to DCVB as a tourism development authority. Voted to adopt a Board transition plan.
- Voted to send a letter to the Durham Delegation to General Assembly offering the prepared food guidelines as a template for local option tax menu.
- Voted to ask management to renew and refresh a plan in concert with the City and County managers, the Durham delegation to the RDU Airport Authority and other strategic partners to scrub up airline employee references to Raleigh-Durham International Airport.

At 5:30 p.m. Chair Smith adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Mallard Secretary/Treasurer